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OFFICE BEARERS.

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President:

REV. H. SCADDING, D.D.

Vice-Pre idents:

WM RENNIE,
CAPT. E. SNIDER,
ELI CRAWFORD,
JOHN SMITH,
JOHN WHATSON.

Treasurer:

W. H. DOEL.

Secretary:

ROBERT PLAYTER.

Committee of Management:

WM. LEA, CHAIRMAN.

JAMES ASHFIELD,
CAPT. J. McGANN,
GEO. CHARLTON,
E. M. MORPHY,
JOHN SHAW,
T. W. ANDERSON,
THOS. TAYLOR,
JOHN WILSON,
GEORGE PHIPPS,
DUDLEY F. JESSOPP.

ORDER OF PROCEEDING

AT MEETINGS.

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1. Reading minutes of the preceding meeting, which, when approved of, shall be signed by the presiding officer.

2. Reading of Correspondence.

3. Transaction of Business arising out of the Minutes.

4. Reports of Committees.

5. Proposal and Election of Members.

6. Payment of Dues.

7. Unfinished Business.

8. New Business.

9. Adjournment.

BY-LAWS.

1. The President shall be *ex officio* chairman of all meetings, ordinary or special, where he shall be present.

2. In case of the absence of the President, the Vice-Presidents shall preside, taking rank by seniority.

3. Should neither President nor Vice-President be present at any meeting, ordinary or extra-ordinary, the members present may elect a member to preside, who, for the time being, shall be clothed with the powers of the President.

4. In case of two members rising to address the meeting at the same time, the presiding officer shall decide who has the floor.

5. Any member addressing the meeting shall do so through the chairman or presiding officer, who shall not occupy the floor more than fifteen minutes without special license.

6. At all meetings the chair is to be taken punctually at the hour appointed; and in case thirty minutes shall elapse without a quorum, the meeting will stand adjourned until such time as the members present shall name and appoint.

7. The Secretary shall take minutes of all meetings and read them at the next regular meeting, in order to their correction or confirmation.

8. The Treasurer shall take charge of all dues, fees and funds, disbursing them under the direction of the officers and on the order of the President, being prepared to report at any regular meeting the state of the finances.

CONSTITUTION

OF THE

YORK PIONEERS' ASSOCIATION.

1.—This organization shall be called the YORK PIONEERS' SOCIETY, and is formed for the purpose of more intimately uniting in friendly relations those who are natives of, or who emigrated to, the original County of York, in the former Province of Upper Canada, or to this city previous to its incorporation, March 6th, 1834, and change of name from York to Toronto, and their descendants on attaining the age of forty years; (eligibility for membership, by resolutions passed 5th January, 1886, is extended to 6th of March, 1844, and their descendants, etc., which reads as follows:—"That the date of admission to the York Pioneer Society, be extended ten years; so that residents of the original County of York, up to 6th of March, 1844, will now be eligible for membership; and if desired, the eligibility for membership may be extended ten years at the end of each decade, dating from 1834)." And for preserving and perpetuating by re-publication and otherwise such historical recollections and incidents, documents and pictorial illustrations relating to the early settlement of this country and city aforesaid, as are worthy of being rescued from oblivion; and by the contribution of communications on these and kindred subjects to be read at the meetings of the Society and afterwards printed in the public journals and otherwise.

2.—This Society shall consist of a President, five Vice-Presidents, a Secretary, and Treasurer, with a Managing Committee of nine, elected from the ordinary members, of which Committee the officers of the Society are *ex-officio* members.

3.—The direction of the affairs of the Association, including the election of officers, and the admission of members, and the disposal of its funds, shall be vested in the Society at the general or ordinary meetings of the members.

4.—Every candidate for admission to the Society shall be proposed and seconded at an ordinary meeting of the Society; and may be elected at the following ordinary or general meeting by a majority of the members present on the occasion.

5.—Every member on being elected shall, either personally or through his mover or seconder, pay his annual subscription of one dollar, previous to his name being entered on the roll of members; and a member's subscription shall date from the first of January preceding his election. Any member who shall refuse or neglect to pay his dues for two years after they have accrued, provided he has been notified of his delinquency by the Secretary, shall be considered as having withdrawn himself from the Society; and the Secretary shall erase his name from the list of members.

6.—Honorary members may be elected on the recommendation of the Managing Committee, but shall not be entitled to vote or hold office.

7.—A general meeting of the Society shall be held annually, on the first Tuesday in March, for the reception of Financial (the Financial year ending the 31st December in each and every year) and other Reports; and for the election of the President, Vice-Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer, the Committee of Management and two Auditors. In case of any vacancies occurring during the year, by death or otherwise, the Society at the next monthly meeting may appoint a person or persons to fill such vacancy.

8.—The Society shall hold ordinary meetings for the despatch of business on the first Tuesday in every month, at the hour of two o'clock p.m., when the presence of seven members shall be necessary to form a quorum.

9.—A special meeting of the Society may be called by the President upon a requisition signed by at least three members, which meeting shall be competent to entertain only the business for which it was specially called.

10.—The Society shall, at any of its ordinary meetings, have power to amend its Constitution and make or alter a By-Law, on giving three months' notice of such proposed change, and its then moved, seconded and adopted by the majority present on such occasion.

11.—No subjects involving difference in religion or party politics shall be considered proper for discussion.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

	Elected.	
Acheson, James	8 May,	1869
Adamson, Wm	29 July,	1871
Ashfield, James	19 July,	1869
Anderson, Thos. W.	10 Dec.,	1877
Annis, Andrew	16 May,	1882
Annis, Jeremiah	4 July,	1882
Armstrong, Elijah	2 Jan.,	1883
Armstrong, John D	4 Aug.,	1885
Armstrong, Wm	6 July,	1886
Abbs, George	7 Sept.,	1886
Armstrong, Arthur	1 Feb.,	1887
Anderson, Andrew	5 April	1887
Adams, Dr. W. C	Feb.,	1888
Blake, J. N.	29 Jan.,	1878
Beatty, James, Sr	19 July,	1869
Brooke, D. O.	21 July,	1869
Barchard, Wm	10 March,	1873
Baby, W. L	10 May,	1873
Boustead, J. B	31 July,	1874
Bevan, Owen T	31 July,	1874
Bell, Robert	10 May,	1873
Bowman, John	24 June,	1878
Barron, John	2 Nov.,	1880
Boake, John	4 May,	1880
Button, Col. Francis	30 July,	1872
Button, Col. Wm.	30 July,	1872
Boake, Edward	3 Jan.,	1882
Bell, Thomas	6 June,	1882
Bigelow, N. G.	5 Sept.,	1882
Bull, John R	4 May,	1880
Badgerow, Geo. W	Dec.,	1883
Burke, David C	5 May,	1885
Bell, C. T.	2 Sept.,	1884
Banks, Joseph	2 Sept.,	1884
Brown, John T	3 Feb.,	1886
Bull, Thomas H	7 Nov.,	1882
Buchanan, Peter, Toronto	3 March,	1885
Briggs, Wm. M	5 April,	1887
Brent, Dr. Charles	5 April,	1887
Brynan, J. W.	7 June,	1887
Burke, Wm.	7 June,	1887
Brown, Wm	1 Nov.,	1887
Conson, H. R	9 Jan.,	1872
Canniff, Dr. Wm	8 April,	1872
Chisholm, Robt. K	10 Dec.,	1877
Crawford, Eli	8 July,	1879

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Chamberlain, James	2 Sept.,	1879
Crosson, Joseph	7 Oct.,	1879
Carroll, Nathaniel	11 Nov.,	1879
Crewe, Hugh S.	2 March,	1880
Charlton, George	6 June,	1882
Chapman, Nathan	6 June,	1882
Coulter, James	2 Jan.,	1883
Clinkinbroomer, Wm	3 June,	1884
Cooper, J. P	1 Sept.,	1885
Chester, Isaac	7 April,	1885
Clarke, Thomas	2 June,	1885
Clarke, John	2 March,	1886
Crowe, Peter	4 May,	1886
Cook, M. W	3 Aug ,	1886
Crocker, James	2 Aug.,	1887
Chisholm, K	6 Sept.,	1887
Cramp, David	3 May,	1887
Cudmore, John	6 Sept.,	1887
Crown, E. T	1 Nov.,	1887
Campbell, John	3 Jan.,	1888
Crown, G. B	7 Feb.,	1888
Doel, Wm. H	22 Nov.,	1870
Denison, Col. R. B	1 April,	1872
Dack, Edward	19 March,	1872
Durand, Charles	5 April,	1875
Denison, Lt.-Col. R. L	24 June,	1878
Denison, Lt -Col. G. T	15 May,	1880
Denison, Edwin B	1 June,	1880
Dudley, Thomas	2 Nov.,	1880
Duncan, Henry	4 May,	1880
Devins, John C	15 March,	1881
Duncan, James	3 Jan.,	1882
Defries, Richard	6 March,	1883
Drew, Matthew	3 June,	1884
Davis, Andrew	5 May,	1885
Davis, John	1 June,	1886
Dermitt, G. G	1 June,	1886
Denison, Col. F. C	4 May,	1887
Davidson, John	7 June,	1887
Dickson, G. T	7 June,	1887
Dicks, Alex	3 Jan.,	1888
Edmonds, Elisha	30 July,	18 3
Elliott, Thos. W	5 April,	1881
Eckardt, Salem	6 Sept.,	1881
Eckardt, Wm	1 Nov.,	1881
Ellis, John	6 March,	1883
Eastwood, D. O	6 Nov.,	1883
Eagle, John	1 June,	1886
Evans, George	1 June,	1886
Freeland, Wm	19 March,	1872
Francis, Dr. W. S	5 Aug.,	1879
Foster, James	11 Nov.,	1879
Fisher, Michael	7 June,	1881
Farquhar, James	6 April,	1886
Foley, P. G	6 Sept.,	1887

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Fleming, James	3 Jan.,	1888
Falconbridge	3 Jan.,	1888
Gamble, Clarke	19 Dec.,	1870
Grubb, Wm	5 May,	1873
Gibson, John	10 Dec.,	1877
Garbett, George	7 June,	1881
Grey, Col. John	3 July,	1883
Gibson, Peter S	7 Oct.,	1884
Gibb, Alex.	6 Jan.,	1885
Griffith, A. J.	3 March,	1885
Gibson, James	2 Dec.,	1884
Glendinning, Frank	6 Jan.,	1885
Gibson, James	2 June,	1885
Grainger, Wm	2 Nov.,	1886
Garland, M.	5 April,	1887
Gram, John	7 June,	1887
Gardner, E. W	7 Feb.	1888
Howland, Sir W. P.	21 June,	1869
Howard, John G	21 June,	1869
Holland, George B	21 June,	1869
Howard, A. McL.	18 Oct.,	1870
Heron, Andrew	29 July,	1871
Hay, Robert	17 Nov.,	1873
Hamilton, Sidney	24 June,	1878
Hastings, Thomas	24 June,	1878
Hunter, Robert	5 Aug.,	1878
Harris, Samuel	5 May,	1879
Herson, James	2 March,	1880
Hynes, Patrick	4 Jan.,	1881
Humberstone, Thomas	7 Dec.,	1880
Hambly, J. O.	6 June,	1882
Heise, Jacob	5 June,	1883
Harrington, John	6 Jan.,	1885
Hodgson, Robert H.	2 June,	1885
Hamilton, John	1 Sept.,	1885
Hill, Wm	2 Sept.,	1884
Hunter, Robert	4 Aug.,	1885
Huntly, J. A	5 May,	1885
Hutton, J. P.	3 Feb.,	1886
Hewitt, Wm	8 April,	1872
Helliwell, Wm.		1870
Hamilton, James	7 Sept.,	1886
Hood, Adam	7 June,	1887
Howard, Wm.	1 Nov.,	1887
Henderson, Wm	3 Jan.,	1888
Harcourt, George	7 Feb.,	1888
Iredale, Ishmael	30 July,	1872
Iredale, Jeremiah H	30 July,	1872
Iredale, Wm	8 July,	1879
Jones, Robert	7 April,	1879
Jackes, Wm	6 April,	1879
James, Silas	7 April,	1879
James, R. W	3 June,	1884
Jarvis, A. M.	3 June,	1884

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888	Jackes, Joseph	7 Oct.,	1884
888	Jaffrey, Andrew	7 Oct.,	1884
	Jarvis, Eagan J	2 Mar.,	1886
870	Jessopp, Dudley F	7 Feb.,	1887
873	Johnston, Col. John	1 Nov.,	1887
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881	Keeble, H		1888
883	Kennedy, David	20 July,	1871
884	Kidd, John	6 Jan.,	1885
885	Kidd, Daniel	6 Jan.,	1885
885	Kersey, Wm	1 Feb.,	1887
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885	Leslie, George, Sen'r	21 Feb.,	1870
885	Lea, Wm	31 Jan.,	1870
886	Lea, John	5 Aug.,	1878
887	Lailey, Thomas	22 Aug.,	1870
887	Lauder, John	1 April,	1872
888	Leys, John	5 May,	1873
	Lee, Thomas H	8 July,	1879
869	Loudon, Wm	2 Mar.	1880
869	Lemon, Henry	2 June,	1883
869	Lepper, Arthur	1 June,	1886
870	Lawson, Edward	1 June,	1886
871	Laidlaw, John	1 June,	1886
873	Love, N. C.	1 June,	1886
878	Lamb, Daniel	7 Sept.,	1886
878	Leslie, George, Junr.	2 Aug.	1887
878	Leslie, John K	2 Aug.,	1887
879	Love, Richard	6 Sept.,	1887
880	Little, W. J	1 Nov.,	1887
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880	Motcalf, Thomas	1 May,	1869
882	Millikin, Norman	10 Mar.,	1873
883	Muir, Alex	30 July,	1872
885	Malcolm, Robert	29 July,	1871
885	Merritt, Jedediah	29 Feb.,	1872
885	Morrison, Robert	2 Mar.,	1880
884	Musson, Edward J	4 May,	1880
885	Medforth, Wm	5 July,	1881
885	Maughan, John	3 Jan.	1882
886	Miller, Simon	2 Aug.	1881
872	Milne, Alex. W	16 May,	1882
870	Maughan, Nicholas	16 May,	1882
886	Morphy, E. M	5 June,	1883
887	Marr, Henry C	3 July,	1883
887	Moore, George C	7 Oct.,	1884
888	Mason, Henry	2 June,	1885
888	Menzies, James	4 Aug.,	1885
	Miller, Hugh	7 April,	1886
872	Mitchell, Wm. John	1 June,	1886
872	Mulock, Wm	7 Sept.,	1886
879	Morran, Geo. M. C	5 Oct.,	1886
	Mulholland, Thomas	2 Nov.,	1886
879	Morris, Hon. Alex	2 Nov.,	1886
879	Muldoon, Arthur	2 Nov.,	1886
879	Mitchell, Rev. G. H	7 June.	1887
884	Morrison, W. C.	6 Sept.,	1887
884	Milliken, Wm	7 June,	1887

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Milligan, Wm	1 Nov.,	1887
Malloy, Alex	1 Nov.,	1887
McGann, Capt. John	22 Aug.,	1870
McMurray, Rev. Archdeacon	18 Oct.,	1887
McNoble, Rev. Alex	5 April,	1875
McFarlane, Duncan	27 Nov.,	1876
McGaw, Thomas	6 Oct ,	1879
McMurray, J. S.	5 Oct.,	1880
McCague, John	4 July,	1882
McMurrich. W. B.	3 June.	1884
McKay	6 March,	1886
McMurchie, Thomas	1 June,	1886
McCaffrey, Charles	1 June,	1886
McCabe, Michael	7 Sept.,	1886
McMorran, George	7 Sept.	1886
McBean, Wm	5 April,	1887
McMillan, Wm	6 Sept.,	1887
McDonald, S. S.	6 Sept.,	1887
McConnell, Dr. John	6 Dec ,	1887
Macdonald, Peter	7 Feb.,	1888
Nightingale, Thomas	7 April,	1879
Newhouse, Wm	1 Nov ,	1887
Ogden, Dr. Uzziel	9 Oct.,	1871
Orr, Wm. A	3 Nov.,	1885
O'Connell, John	1 June,	1886
O'Keefe, Eugene	7 Sept.,	1886
Orr, John	1 March,	1887
O'Connor, Denis	1 Nov.,	1887
Playter, John	3 June,	1869
Paul, Major John	29 July,	1871
Patton, Hon. James	27 June,	1878
Pearcy, Gilbert	17 Feb.,	1879
Paton, R. S. A	7 April,	1879
Purvis, Thomas	4 May,	1880
Parsons, Matthew	2 Sept.,	1879
Phipps, George	2 Nov.,	1880
Pherrell, Ada	4 Jan.,	1881
Playter, Robert	6 Sept.,	1881
Pease, Edward	2 Sept.,	1884
Peaker, Wm	2 June,	1885
Piggot, George	7 April,	1885
Pearce, John T	4 Aug.,	1885
Pell, John E	1 June,	1886
Pike, John	6 July,	1886
Palmer, James S	7 Dec.,	1886
Phipps, John	1 March,	188.
Rowland, Wm	8 Jan.,	1873
Reid, C. P.	1 Oct.,	1872
Rennie, Wm	17 Nov.,	1873
Rennie, Robt	11 Feb.,	1879
Richardson, Dr. Jas. H	5 May,	1879
Romain, W. T	2 March,	1880
Ryan, James	4 May,	1880
Rawlins, Wm	7 Dec	1880

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Raper, John Seal	8 Jan., 1872
Ross, Dr. James	7 June, 1881
Ross, J. McCrae	7 June, 1881
Read, D B	6 June, 1882
Ruttan, Rev. Charles	6 Nov., 1883
Rennie, John	7 Oct., 1884
Richardson, Dr. L. R	5 May, 1885
Robertson, J. Ross	1888
Robinson, Hon. J. B	7 April, 1885
Reesor, Jossphus	30 July, 1874
Reesor, Colin B	6 July, 1886
Ross, John	6 July, 1886
Reesor, H. A	1 March, 1887
Ryall, Thos	7 June, 1887
Ramsay, James	7 June, 1887
	7 Feb., 1888
Scadding, Rev. Hy., D.D	15 May, 1869
Scadding, Charles	5 May, 1873
Stitt, James	3 June, 1879
Score, Richard	27 June, 1870
Small, John	25 Aug., 1870
Storm, W. G	19 March, 1872
Skinner, Colin	5 Aug., 18 8
Spence, James	19 Dec., 1870
St. George Quetten	5 May, 1873
Stewart, Wm	18 Nov., 1876
Snider, Capt. Elias	10 Dec., 1877
Stone, Henry	29 Jan., 1878
Selby, Col. Wm	24 June, 1878
Smith, John	24 June, 1878
Strong, Jacob	7 Oct., 1879
Stonehouse, Isaac	11 Nov., 1879
Smith, Wm	4 May, 1880
Snider, J. G	Oct. 1881
Stock, Edward	5 July, 1881
Stevenson, Dr. James	7 Feb., 1882
Scadding, H. S	6 June, 1882
Smith, Joseph	4 July, 1882
St. Germain, A. W	3 " 1883
Stoughtenburg, Capt. J	Aug., 1884
Shaw, John	" 1884
Stoddard, H. H. O	2 June, 1884
Sargent, Robert	2 " 1885
Sargent, James	2 " 1885
Shaw, Wm	3 Feb., 1886
Scarlet, J. A	7 Sept., 1886
Smith, Hon. Frank	7 " 1886
Shewan, M	1 March, 1887
Stong, Joseph	2 Aug., 1887
Stanton, Eldridge	4 May, 1887
Shortiss, Thomas	6 Sept., 1887
Simpson, James	7 Dec., 1887
Smith, Larrett W	5 April, 1875
Sinclair, Capt. D	3 Jan., 1888
Smith, James	3 " 1888
Taylor, Thomas	22 Nov., 1870
Tingle, Andrew	3 Aug., 1880

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Taylor, George	4 Jan.,	1882
Thompson, Rev. C. E	6 June,	1883
Thompson, Thomas	6 "	1883
Turner, F. E. P.	Dec.,	1883
Thompson, Simon	3 June,	1884
Tipp, Daniel	2 Dec.,	1884
Taylor, Dr. Stephen	4 March,	1884
Thorne, W. H	3 "	1885
Tingle, John	4 Aug.,	1885
Thompson, Frank	2 Dec.,	1884
Trotter, R. H	2 March,	1886
Tyrrell, Wm	2 "	1886
Tran, James	1 June,	1886
Tully, Kivas	4 Jan.,	1887
Turner, J. B	1 March,	1887
Tabor, R. D. H	1 Nov.,	1887
Vandersmissen, Henry	6 Nov.,	1883
Watson, John	5 May,	1873
Watson, Joseph	24 Jan.,	1878
Wilson, Alfred	19 March,	1872
Wilson, Arthur L	7 April,	1879
Wright, Dr. H. H	30 July,	1873
Wadsworth, W. R	27 Nov.,	1876
Watson, John	24 June,	1878
Wickson, John	3 May,	1881
Wilcox, Allen	Sept.,	1881
Whitesides,	7 March,	1882
Wheler, J. P	4 July,	1882
Ward, George	4 "	1882
Wilson, John	1 Aug.,	1882
Wightman, John	5 June,	1883
Witbrow, J. J	2 Sept.,	1884
Walton, W. W	2 "	1884
Wightman, John, jr	7 Oct.,	1884
Woods, Wm	7 "	1884
Watson, Mark	3 March,	1885
White, Wm	2 June,	1885
Wakefield, W. W	2 "	1885
Wilson, Robert	3 Feb.,	1886
Wadsworth, T. R	30 April,	1877
Watson, John H	1 June,	1886
Watson, C. H	1 "	1886
Williams, George	6 Sept.,	1887
Wallace, James	1 Nov.,	1887
Wilson, William	3 Jan.,	1888
Wilson, A. H	7 Dec.,	1887

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